

**November 17-18, 2022**

**ITEM 203-104-R1122**

**Revision to BOR 301.8 – Academic Probation Policy**

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**THAT**

The Board of Regents approves revisions to BOR Policy 301.8 – Academic Probation Policy to remove punitive language, provide flexibility to campuses when determining whether a student should be placed in academic warning, and authorizes campuses to develop policies for supporting students who are placed under academic warning.

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**EXPLANATION**

The proposed changes would update Board Policy to align with the Montana University System’s goals of placing student success and support at the center of all operational procedures. These proposed adjustments change the language of “probation” to “warning”, allow campuses to make exemptions for students who may drop below a 2.0 in their first semester, and allow campuses to develop policies for students who have been placed in academic warning that will provide supports for students and pathways for academic success.

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**ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment #1: Proposed Revisions to Policy 301.8